LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **DECEMBER 18, 2007**, upon the application of **MAYNE & MERTZ, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the Marginulina Howei - Marginulina Texana Zone, Reservoir A (Marg Howei-Marg Tex Zone), in the West Manchester Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish rules and regulations and to create two (2) drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Marginulina Howei Marginulina Texana Zone, Reservoir A.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed units, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 3. To provide that any future wells drilled to the Marg Howei-Marg Tex Zone, Reservoir A, in the West Manchester Field, within or outside the proposed units, should be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
- 4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the Marg Howei-Marg Tex Zone, Reservoir A, by supplemental Order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of the reservoir change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
- 5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Marginulina Howei-Marginulina Texana Zone, Reservoir A, is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 8,300 feet and 9,900 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Pan American Petroleum Corporation - East Lake Townsite "C" No. 2 Well, located in Section 14, Township 10 South, Range 8 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.